

MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 6th DECEMBER 2022 IN THE VILLAGE HALL.

Present: Councillors: S Cook, B Bywater, P Wait, C Eardley, J Hobson and Lynn Thornton (Clerk)

Apologies: M Pearcy

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236/22 Open Forum
None.

237/22 Apologies for absence
Cllr Pearcy

238/22 Declarations of Interest by Councillors
None.

239/22 Reports by District Cllr Pearcy and County Cllr Thomas
Appendix I attached to these minutes is the report from District Councillor Pearcy.
Appendix II attached to these minutes is the report from County Councillor Thomas.

240/22 Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 1st November were approved and signed as a true and correct record by those present at the meetings.

241/22 Planning

The council has received notification of the following planning applications:

- a) S.22/2533/HHOLD – Constable Cottage, Levers Hill – erection of garden room, new steps and decking to top garden. **NO COMMENT**
- b) S.22/2300/FUL – Barn and outbuildings at The Elms – proposed alterations to barn and outbuilding to provide 2 storey detached dwelling house with associated parking. **NO COMMENT**

The council has received notification of the following planning applications:

None.

242/22 Accounts
Incomes received and payments for authorisation

Solar Farm	1554.27	Annual Payment
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Payments for Authorisation

L Thornton	491.20	Wages November 2022
S Cook	100.00	Newsletter Editing
S Cook	151.99	Newsletter Printing
L Thornton	336.00	Back pay to April 2022
Coaley Village Hall	138.00	Room Hire

The 1st draft of the precept was discussed, clerk to amend as instructed and will represent at the next meeting for approval.

243/22 Clerks Report

1. Flood scheme will take place on 19th January online & 23rd January in the Council Chamber.
2. Gas leak update from the clerk.
3. T&C strategic forum meeting –taking place on 7th December 6.30-8pm via zoom
4. The clerk advised a grant application form has been sent to the group connected to the Village Fete, the clerk expects the form to be returned in time for the January meeting.
5. The clerk asked Cllr Eardley if CRAG has considered the football pitch request from Kings Stanley Dragons Youth Football club. Cllr Eardley confirmed this has been discussed and suggested a meeting between the group and CRAG would be beneficial.
6. The new SDC monitoring officer is looking to introduce a new code of conduct universal for all. More information will be released over time.
7. The Bobby bus will hopefully be in the village in the next couple of weeks.

Cllr Eardley

244/22 Tennis courts

Nothing to report.

245/22 Village shop

Cllr Wait reported the committee is pleased to confirm a profit in the last quarter, the Christmas sales are going well too. The shop has been festively decorated and is looking great. There will be a volunteers party in January.

246/22 Village Hall Update

Cllr Hobson reported the WIFI is being installed on Wednesday 14th December, the installers called a week before the last scheduled installation to cancel.

The solar panel saga continues, it is now believed planning permission needs to be sought as there is more than the allowed number of panels.

There has also been a general delay due to the need for a smart meter and supply issues.

The foyer is due to be replastered and painted in the next month or so.

All room hire charges will increase by 10% from January 2023.

247/22 Coaley Uley Climate Action Network

The last repair café was well supported, the WI provided tea and cakes which were well received.

The repair café will take place every 3 months commencing the 1st weekend of February 2023 in Uley.

248/22 Policing

Nothing to report.

249/22 Footpath, ditches and stiles.

The clerk has chased GCC for an electronic version of the parish map.

Clerk

250/22	<u>Allotment update</u> Nothing to report.	
251/22	<u>Village Maintenance</u> Nothing to report.	
252/22	<u>Highways Repair & Maintenance</u> Councillors reported the potholes on Elmcote Lane and Peak Lane are increasing in size and a concern for road users. Clerk to report.	Clerk
253/22	<u>Playarea</u> Nothing to report.	
254/22	<u>Coaley Recreation Action Group</u> Cllr Eardley reported the group have agreed the aims and missions in principle, these will be finalised at the January meeting. Once finalised they will be added to the council website. Cllr Eardley will write an article for the next newsletter to update residents on the groups progress and reignite interest. The group will also create a Facebook account along with arranging a presentation to the children in the school to engage them in designing the groups logo.	Cllr Eardley
255/22	<u>Village Design Statement</u> Defer to next meeting.	
256/22	<u>Matters for forward consideration</u> Councillors roles. Precept for 2023/24	
257/22	<u>Items for press release and publication</u> Minutes	
Meeting closed at 8.50pm.		